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LOCAL NEWS.

If you see it in the Townsman, it's news to be relied upon; if it is news and so, you'll see it in the Townsman.

Warren F. Draper has gone to Chicago, and will take in the World's Fair.

Three new horses arrived at the Elm House stables last Saturday.

George Howarth of Philadelphia visited this week at the home of Thomas E. Rhodes.

Reginald Johnson, son of Rev. F. H. Johnson, is among the recent arrivals at the World's Fair, Chicago.

Charles Murphy of Marland Village is now employed at the barber shop of J. M. Bean.

Another circus is coming to town. Smith & Scribner's great show is billed to exhibit here Monday, May 29.

Rev. C. P. Osborne of Fayetteville, N.Y., is to preach at the South Church next Sunday.

Barnett Rogers has taken the rooms, formerly occupied for millinery by Mrs. Kelley in Carter's Block, for his office.

Gen. Armstrong, principal of Hampton Institute, Va., and well known through his visits in the interests of the Indian and Negro, died last week.

Several of the Pynchard Cadets witnessed the prize drill of the Reading High School cadets last Friday night and at Wakefield Wednesday night.

The preliminary tournament in track athletics at Phillips Academy takes place at the running track next Wednesday afternoon.

Remember the auction sale of personal property at the James H. Smith place on Summer Street, to-morrow afternoon at 1 o'clock.

The last lecture of the Geology course at Abbot Academy by Dr. Harris was given last Monday night. His subject was "The relation of organic life to Geology."

Dr. C. H. Gilbert has recently received the degree of Master of Dental Surgery from the State of New York. This is the only state which gives this degree and then only after a very rigid examination.

At a meeting of the Selectmen last Friday afternoon, it was voted not to grant the petition of J. M. Bradley to lay out a private way in the rear of his store, Carter's Block and the Bank Building.

Mary, a daughter of Daniel and Catherine Donovan, died Wednesday at the age of eleven years. The family has not lived here long, being recent arrivals. The interment was in the Catholic Cemetery.

Henry C. Pearson of New York, formerly a resident of this town and employed at the Tyer Rubber factory, gave a lecture in the Y. M. C. A. building at Lawrence, Wednesday night, on "India Rubber." Mr. Pearson is editor of the India Rubber World.

The cantata "Old Friends and new Faces," which was given with so much success and was so well liked at the recent May Festival at the Free Church, is to be repeated with some additional entertainment next Friday evening in the vestry of the church. An admission fee will be charged.

The events for the tournament at Phillips Academy next Wednesday afternoon will be as follows: 100-yard dash, half-mile run, 220-yard dash, one mile run, 120-yard hurdle race, 440-yard dash, running high jump, throwing base ball, putting shot, running broad jump, one mile bicycle race, pole vault.

Scribner & Smith's great double circus and menagerie will arrive in town early Monday morning, May 29. This is said to be a first-class show and no fraud. At noon there will be a grand street parade. Besides dens and cages of animals, this circus carries some excellent and well trained horses, ponies, etc. One of the features is Carmenleita, the great Spanish dancer. See their advertisement and bills for further particulars.

At the last meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps the ladies voted to accept the invitation to attend divine service at the West Church with the G. A. R. Post and Sons of Veterans. A barge will leave G. A. R. Hall Sunday morning, May 28, for West Parish for the accommodation of the ladies of the Corps. All who desire to avail themselves of this privilege will be at the Hall by 9.30 o'clock. They also voted to hold a literary and musical entertainment in the Town Hall Monday evening, June 5.

Phillips Academy will close this year June 27. In answer to a petition of the Seniors, the faculty has granted them Monday, June 26, for their class day exercises, which have usually occurred on the morning of the last day. The regular graduating exercises will occur as usual on the afternoon of Tuesday, the 27th. The Ivy and other class exercises will thus occur on Monday and there will probably be an entertainment in the evening.

The North District School was closed Tuesday on account of several cases of measles.

William Odlin of this town was among those who witnessed the hanging of Almy at Concord, N.H., Tuesday.

Rev. A. E. Winship of Boston, who has been heard with great interest here, will speak at the Sunday School rally May 29.

Rev. Mr. Young, who is to address the Temperance Meeting at the Baptist Church next Sunday evening, is said to be a strong and interesting speaker.

Supt. Baldwin is to-day attending the meeting of the New England Association of School Superintendents in Boston, and also the 14th meeting of the Town and District Association.

C. Julian Tuthill, of the Seminary, has received a call to the Sayles Church at Saylesville, R. I. The salary is \$1200. He has not decided whether he will accept or not.

The programme for commencement week at Dartmouth College includes the baccalaureate by Prof. Tucker, June 25, and his inauguration as President, Wednesday morning, June 28.

The family of H. C. Hutchins has arrived in town and taken the F. H. Johnson residence on Summer Street for the summer.

D. P. Stiles, who lives in the south part of the town, still holds the record for killing big snakes. Last Monday he put an end to a black monster which measured four feet and three inches.

At the reunion of the Boston association of the alumni of Fryeburg, Me., Academy, held in Boston last Saturday, Rev. F. A. Wilson of this town presided and was elected one of the vice-presidents for the ensuing year.

The Quarterly Temperance meeting will be held in the Baptist Church next Sabbath evening at 7.30 o'clock, May 21. Rev. Geo. H. Young of Lawrence will address the meeting. He comes highly recommended as being well posted in relation to temperance matters.

As the result of the examination last week at Phillips Academy for the West Point cadetship, Geo. B. Pillsbury, son of Dr. Pillsbury of Lowell has received from Congressman Stevens notice of his appointment. Pillsbury is 18 years old. He will now have to go to the nearest fortress and pass a physical examination.

The Pynchard Cadets have been putting in some solid work since the drill in preparation for the field day at Malden to-morrow. They will leave here by special train at 7.50 A.M. At 9.30 the competitive company movements will take place. These will be followed by the individual competitive drill and the athletic sports. After dinner there will be regimental review, street parade, and dress parade, when the judges give their decisions. Gov. Russell is expected to be present to view the parade.

Mr. R. Lambert Graves, who has entered into partnership with J. M. Bradley, was born in Barbados, one of the British West India Islands. He came to the United States in 1881, entering the employment of Geo. B. Cluett & Co., collar and cuff manufacturers, at Troy, N.Y., with whom he served two years. He then started in business in Albany, contracting for the hand finishing of all the collars and cuffs of Cluett & Co. Five or six hundred persons were employed in this industry for the last several years. Mr. Graves is 44 years old, and married. His family, consisting of a wife and one child, will join him here soon.

At the Mass. Inter-denominational Sunday-School Convention held in Lawrence two months ago a District Association was formed with Lawrence as a centre, and including the towns of Methuen, North Andover and Andover. The intention is to hold a rally of the Sunday School workers of each town once or twice a year in each place, all arrangements for such meetings to be made by the local Superintendents. The first meeting was held in Methuen April 29th. At a meeting of the eight superintendents of Andover, last week, plans were discussed for the Andover rally which will be held in the South Church, Monday evening, May 29th. Full particulars will be published next week.

The 9th annual meeting of the General Association of the Congregational Churches of Massachusetts has been held in Boston this week. There have been several attendants from Andover. Prof. Taylor of the Seminary, on Tuesday, reported a plan for a ministerial bureau, which was suggested at the last convention. This plan provides that the bureau be established at the Boston Congregational House; that the conference appoint nine directors, to serve in terms of one, two, and three years in groups of three; that the secretary of the bureau be paid \$2500 per year. The object of this bureau is to bring together churches without pastors, of which there are 100 in the State, and pastors without churches of which there are 300, without necessary expenses to either. There was a brisk discussion upon the matter. The matter was referred to a special committee.

Notes from the Hill and Seminary.

F. L. Luce of the Seminary, who has been absent for about a month past, has now returned to his studies. During his stay at home he has had the misfortune to bury his father, after a prolonged illness.

Mr. Brown of the Senior class has been called to his home in the West by the serious illness of his mother. He is not likely to return before the graduation.

The lecture by R. A. Woods on Lord Shaftesbury, at the Seminary, Wednesday forenoon, was an additional pleasure to those which have preceded. Only two more of these admirable lectures remain to be given—on the ensuing Wednesdays at 11 o'clock.

Prof. and Mrs. Tucker are to give a farewell reception to the students and other friends, this afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock.

The following committee has been appointed by the students in the Seminary, one for each class, to put the base-ball team on a sound business basis: Pringle, Twombly, Hill.

Rev. Mr. Ross of the Seminary preached at North New Salem, last Sunday.

The lectures on "American Congregationalism," by Rev. Dr. A. H. Bradford of New Jersey, will be given at the Seminary, next Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings, at 7 o'clock. All interest are invited. The subjects will be as follows:

Congregational Creeds, Our Polity: Its Beginning and Growth in the United States, The Local Church and the Churches, Tendencies, and the Outlook.

Mr. Page of the Senior class preached at Franklin St. Congregational Church, East Somerville, last Sunday.

Special Town Meeting.

A special town meeting has been called by the Selectmen for next Monday evening, in the Town Hall at 8 o'clock, to act on the following articles:

ARTICLE 1.—To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2.—To elect a Board of Sewer Commissioners, as authorized by Chapter 236 of the Acts of the year 1893; said Board to consist of three persons, to be elected by ballot to serve for the terms of one year, two years, and three years respectively from the next annual meeting.

ART. 3. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to use the Ware Side-walk Fund for the construction of a sidewalk on the easterly side of Main Street, in accordance with the purpose of the donor, and provide therefor.

ART. 4.—To see if the Town will vote to purchase a small lot of land opposite the Railroad Station, for material to be used for repairing town ways, and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Dollars therefor.

"Should Canada be Annexed to the United States?"

The above question was the subject of the first joint debate between the Bradford High School Club and the Garfield Club L.L.A. of this town, at the Bradford High School last Friday evening. The Andover club supported the affirmative, Andrew Campbell, John C. Angus and James May being the speakers. Messrs. Kelley, Madden, and Hill supported the negative for the Bradford Club. The best and strongest arguments for the affirmative were set forth by John Angus, who evidently had given the matter much thought. The facts were all convincing and not one of them were met by the negative. Mr. Hill's speech was the only redeeming feature on the negative side, but he misquoted the affirmative arguments in a surprising manner. The Andover Club had by far the best of the arguments but the judges decided that they had been better entertained by the home club.

The next debate will take place in A. O. U. W. Hall Memorial Day evening.

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The Erl King.

Editor of the Townsman:

DEAR SIR—I had occasion recently to look up translations of Goethe's ballad, "The Erl King," and found none that was satisfactory. Thinking there may be some persons who would like a translation to refer to, I send you the enclosed and send it without hesitation as it has no claim to originality. It is simply made out of the translations at hand.

The Erl King or Alder King, was believed by the Norse mythology to be an evil spirit that haunted the banks of brooks and rivers.

Yours truly,
FREDERIC PALMER.

THE ERL KING.

Who rides so late thro' the night-wind wild?
It is the father with his child.
He has the little one close in his arm,
He holds him safe and he holds him warm.

"My son, why didst thou thy frightened face?"
"See, father, the Erl King in yonder place,
The Erl King, with crown and with long black train!"

"My son, 'tis a streak of the misty rain."
"Come, dearest child, come go with me!
Such merry plays I will play with thee!
Flowers many and bright does my kingdom hold;
My mother has many a robe of gold."

"My father my father, and dost thou not hear
What the Erl King whispers low in my ear?"
"Be quiet, my child, it is only the breeze
As it rustles the withered leaves under the trees?"

"Come, lovely boy, come go with me!
My daughters fair shall wait on thee,
My daughters around thee in dance shall sweep,
And rock thee and kiss thee and sing thee to sleep."

"My father, my father, and seest thou not
The Erl King's daughters in yon dim spot?"
"My son, my son, it is not they,
'Tis the old willow nodding its head so gray."

"I love thee, thy beauty has charmed me so;
And I'll take thee by force if thou wilt not go."
"My father, my father, he seizes my arm;
O father, the Erl King has done me harm."
The father shudders, he gallops wild,
He holds in his arm the sobbing child;
He watches the castle in fear and dread,
When lo! in his arms the child was dead.

"Scribbles by the way," in Turkey.

WHO CAN WONDER THAT CHOLERA THRIVES?

HOTEL, GRAVEYARD SPOT, TURKEY, MAR. 29.

We have started on our journey across Turkey! with Mr. Fowle of Cesarea. We left Tarsus this morning, with a mounted Turkish soldier as guard and escort. Our wagon is something like an American emigrant wagon, with a white canvas top, and is quite comfortable. Perhaps I do not need to tell you that I am writing in the wagon as we roll along.

In this wagon we carry four beds and bedding, and dishes, and food enough to last us a week, and our four selves. We rested in a Khan at noon and made our tea, and ate our dinner in the wagon. This afternoon the roads were rough and the cold north winds blew in our faces, and we were glad to reach this little village where we are to spend the night.

Did you ever reach home after a cold, wearisome journey, and find a blazing fire, a hot supper, and a warm welcome from your dear ones? I have had such visions, but we find here a little dirty Turkish village, some cross Turks, who either could not, or would not find the key to the only "Guest Chamber" in the village. Poor things! They were as tired and hungry as we were, for it was "Ramagan" and they had fasted all day.

After sitting patiently in the wagon a long time, some one unfastened the door and let us in. We came through a stable, worse than any stable you ever saw, up some stone steps, into a room directly over the stable. They left me here while they unpacked the wagon. I looked about for the cleanest place, but there wasn't any. There was no place to sit down and I stood there in the dirt, glad that it was so dark that I could not see how dirty it was. If you could have looked in then, you would have seen the most disconsolate woman in Turkey. It was fortunate that I had not much time for the dolefuls for the men came in, bringing in our beds and our provisions. I found I must either cry or laugh. With a "Herculean effort" as Mrs. Partington used to say, I decided to laugh. Mr. Fowle set up our cots. We use one for a table, and one to sit on but one dim candle gives a feeble light, and reminds me of those lines of Milton's, that "Miss Phebe" used to make us learn.

"No light, but rather darkness visible
Served only to discover much of woe."
Well, we spread our table on the bed. Fortunately we had a table cloth, and Ali brought some hot water with which we made our cocoa, which we drank without milk, and ate our bread and butter, and cake, and cold meat, and tried to think it was all "better than we deserved."

Now it is to-morrow! and I will show you our "Khan." I suppose it is much the same as the stables in Bethlehem used to be when our Saviour was born. The carpet is what is commonly known as earth. The color, a dark brown. The walls are of rough stone and mor-

tar, frescoed with smoke. The ceiling is of rough rafters, also frescoed. Along each side of the room is a wooden platform, about four feet wide, and raised two feet from the floor. On one side is our cot bed with all our trunks and boxes and provisions. On the other side are two more cot beds. On one I am writing, now. We all slept in this room. The other occupants were—fleas! There were three tiny little windows in the room, all tightly fastened, but Mr. Fowle managed to open two of them. When the door was shut it kept out some of the odor of the stables, but the air was almost as bad from the outside as from the stables.

Well—we ate in the dirt, and we slept in the dirt as well as we could and we all tried to be jolly, but we were glad when it was light enough to see, and we were up and packing to start again. Perhaps you wonder why we staid in such a place. We did not sleep much. It was the best room in the village, and there was no other village within twenty miles. Our missionaries who live in the interior of Turkey have slept in such places, and worse places, many times. And even in hot weather, when it would be much more intolerable.

Can you tell when I write in the wagon and when in the Khan? Just now it is evening again, and we are in another Khan, very similar to the one I described. Oh! these roads! I never saw or imagined any so bad. We walk always, where the roads are the worst. To-day I walked six miles at one stretch. This is our sixth day in a wagon! We stopped at noon in a little Koordish village for our lunch. We ate it in the wagon; though it was pretty cold, it was the cleanest place to be found. Ali found a fire some-where in the village, and made us some tea. To be sure the bread and butter, and cold meat and doughnuts were not of the freshest, as they had travelled with us all these six days, but we had fresh eggs and enjoyed our lunch. This is one of the poorest and dirtiest villages we have seen yet.

As I sat in our wagon I counted 13 dead sheep, one dead camel, one dead dog and one dead donkey, all lying along the streets waiting for nature to dispose of them. Some had evidently been lying there many days. Can you imagine people living in a village like that? And yet little dirty ragged children trotted about, picking their way past dead dogs and live dogs, with equal indifference, and seemed as happy as any other little children, and even looking healthy and strong in spite of the filth and degradation.

We are rattling along, through and over and around the Taurus Mts. You would not think a living mortal, or even a horse or wagon, could go over some of those roads, but Mr. Fowle achieved it. I have been jumping in and out of the wagon, all the way, walking long distances over the most dangerous places. We stopped last night at the little village of Bolial. In all of these little villages, there is a "guest chamber" or "upper room" belonging usually to the head man of the village. Was it some such room that the disciples found, when Christ sent them to ask "Where is the guest chamber, that I may eat the passover?" Ali went ahead and found it for us. Selim Effendi, our host, brought in some cushions and we sat down and he sat down. He said "Hosh geldea" and we said "Hosh Bulduck," and we were welcomed. This guest chamber was not exactly like yours, or mine. I thought at first that I could not possibly go into it, but I found that I could. It is surprising what you can do, when you find you must. I thought I had put all my pride, and my squeamishness, and my fussiness into my pocket before, but I crammed in a great deal more and settled down for the night. Mr. Fowle brought in a wagon seat for a table, and supper was soon ready.

We are now on the other side of the Taurus Mountains, and are to spend the Sabbath in a little village called Nigde, at the house of a native pastor. Would you like to spend it there, with us?

CESAREA, APR. 5, '93.

Aren't you glad that I have ink again? Could you read what I wrote on the way?

I wonder if you ever "count up your mercies?" Do you know how good it is to live in a house and sleep in a bed? Are you sufficiently thankful for clean dishes or the means of making them clean? Are you grateful for cold water and good bread? Do you thank the Lord every night, that you haven't a house full of fleas, or—? Are you thankful that your neighbor's hands are clean, so that you can shake hands with them without a shiver? I could keep on with these "reflections" all day, but this is enough. Do not think these reflections apply to missionaries. Their homes are delightful and so are they. It was like a peep into Paradise, to come into Mrs. Fowle's beautiful clean, sweet, Christian home here in Talas.

This has been a very hard journey and the experiences new and trying, but interesting to look back upon, especially our lodgings at "Hotel Stabulum."

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Our Sabbath at the house of Avedis Effendi, the native pastor at Nigdi, was on the whole very comfortable. The house was quite clean, and they were very kind and hospitable. We all suffered some with the cold, and started off again Monday morning in the cold and rain, but we managed to keep pretty jolly. The "Hotels" were the same, dark and dirty, and flea-y, and we didn't sleep much, but it was each time that or nothing. I found in my calendar this quotation: "When I was at home I was in a better place, but travellers must be content."

I never fully realized before, what our missionaries have to do and to bear. If I can get home again, I am sure I shall do more to help them. They go through it all so cheerfully too.

We have had a delightful four days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Fowle, and Mr. and Mrs. Dodd, and Dr. and Mrs. Farnsworth and Miss Burrage and Miss Closson. We take our meals all together, in one house or the other, and have very pleasant times. We have visited the boys' school and the girls' school, and the kindergartens, and the hospital and the churches. Monday morning we start off again for another six days' journeying, very much like that described. If I could only take along your cellar to sleep in, I should feel well provided for, but we must content ourselves with Khans again, for six more nights. Mr. Fowle promises us still worse travelling, but we have come safely so far.

It was only after serious deliberation and consultation that we undertook this journey. Some of the missionaries advised strongly against it, but there were reasons that I cannot explain now why it seemed on the whole best. The "bale" the Turkish Governor gave us a "safe conduct," if we chose to go. We telegraphed to Cesarea and took our Turkish soldier, and we have not been molested so far.

Eugene has found a great deal to amuse and interest him through it all. He slept soundly, where we could scarcely sleep at all. In the narrowest mountain passes we were almost sure to meet a long procession of camels—a hundred in one procession sometimes. Eugene counted nearly three thousand camels since we left Tarsus.

We managed to find very good bathtubs in the beautiful mountain streams, though rather cold, and sometimes my fingers were so benumbed that I could hardly comb my hair, or put in a hair pin. We all visited the "Robber's Cave." We could not find "Ali Baba" or the "forty thieves," but we found the remnants of their fire and warmed ourselves, for it was very cold up there in the mountains.

Now after twelve days and nights of hard travel and little rest, excepting the two Sundays in native homes, we are safely through it and reached railways again, which have brought us to Constantinople.

Will write again, here,
H. E. C.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis. was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Ed. Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O. had five large Fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold by Arthur Bliss' Drug gist.

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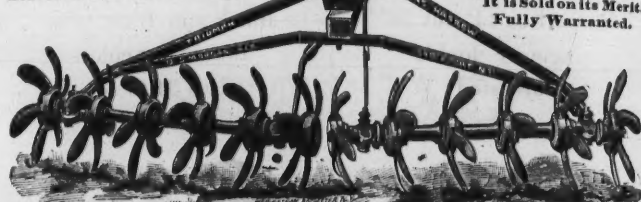
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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Friday, May 12.

The annual Spanish budget shows a surplus—Russian conscripts mutilated and 15 were killed—Fire caused a loss of \$35,000 at Carberry, Manitoba—Business buildings were burned at Pittsburg; loss \$175,000—An electric road's plant at Rochester was burned; loss \$60,000—Malden (Mass.) schoolteachers have petitioned for better pay—Eight New York national banks hold \$1,500,000 of cordage paper—Only 32 out of a cargo of 613 Chinamen got ashore at Portland, Or.—It appears that the man Townsend did mean to murder Mr. Gladstone—Three of the crew of steamer Etheby died from yellow fever at Rio Janeiro—Austria protests against the expulsion of one of her citizens from Russian Poland—The drought in Italy will compel the extra importation of 113,500,000 bushels of grain—Ambassador Bayard will be tendered a public reception on his arrival at Southampton, Eng.—The Columbian review has not influenced the number of applicants for service in the marine corps—Louis Kossuth, the Hungarian patriot, thinks Ireland's independence can only be attained by force of arms—Residences of citizens of Muscatine, Ia., who have been prosecuting saloon cases, were blown up by dynamite—Sir Charles Russell says that Great Britain represents the rights of nations in the Behring sea controversy—The Plymouth and Kingston (Mass.) Street Railway company has voted to increase its capital stock from \$70,000 to \$100,000, this action being necessitated by the extension of the road into Kingston—A man at Barre, Vt., with eight ounces of his brain removed talks sensibly—The Connecticut house passed the medical practice bill—Two brothers were drowned near Round Pond, Me.—Ex-Governor Robinson had a conference with Lizzie Borden in Taunton (Mass.) jail—Suicide of Warren G. Butterworth of Warren, Mass. He shoots himself through the head and the bullet lodges in his daughter's brain, killing her as well as himself—An engine and one car goes through a trestle into Otter creek at Middlebury, Vt.—Murderer Almy has grown ugly and profane.

Saturday, May 13.

A new Peruvian cabinet has been formed—Kansas officials are after the per trust—Pope Leo is to fight the quinal at the polls—A drought has caused great loss in England—Another ministerial crisis is imminent in Argentina—The proposed sewing machine trust has fallen through—Secretary Carlisle defends his removal of Chief Clerk Sturtevant—The liabilities of the Santa Clara bank of San Jose, Cal., are \$300,000—General Dodds, the conqueror of Dahomey, has arrived in Marseilles—The manifesto of the German Conservatives savors strongly of agrarianism—The lead trust is said to have absorbed the Granby Mining Smelting company, a rival—E. L. Hawkins of Syracuse university was chosen president of the National Republican College league—Preparations are being made for the trial of Langner, the alleged murderer of Miss Emerson of West Dedham, Mass.—Clarence R. Merrill's grain establishment at Manchester, N. H., was totally destroyed by fire yesterday, entailing a loss of \$25,000—The skull of Thomas Mullen, who died suddenly after a fight with his brothers-in-law at Providence, was found to be fractured—Daniel T. Blanchard of East Bridgewater, Mass., has sued Fred L. Brown for alienating his wife's affections—The Rhode Island election muddle is not yet straightened out—The navy department has ordered certain radical changes made in the cruiser Marblehead—Ex-Secretary Fairchild resigned from the committee appointed to investigate the New York custom house—The World's fair local directors voted almost as a unit to open the grounds on Sundays, beginning May 21, and charge 25 cents admission—A great number of small bank failures are reported in the west—Miss Annie Smith shot her lover, Havelin Gonzalez at Somerville, Mass., because she thought he was paying too much attention to other girls. The victim may die—General S. C. Armstrong, founder and superintendent of the Normal institute at Hampton, Va., is dead, aged 56.

Sunday, May 14.

Republican members threaten to withdraw from the cortes as a protest against the Spanish government's action regarding the municipal election bill—A decomposed body was found in Baldwin's pond, Plymouth, Conn. Papers on the body would lead to the belief that the man belonged in some Massachusetts town—At New Milford, Conn., a boat containing George Bourne and John Kelley was carried over the falls. Bourne was drowned and Kelley was carried half a mile down the stream before he was rescued—The cornerstone of the Swedish Lutheran church in Willimantic, Conn., was laid. An address in Swedish was delivered by Rev. G. E. Fosberg, and one in English by Rev. C. A. Bergstrom—Thieves at Lewiston, Me., broke open six mail boxes—Free Conservative leaders at Berlin are trying to organize an Imperial middle party—William Phren, a German, aged 40, was drowned in Community lake, Wallingford, Conn.—Durley the two weeks of licenses at Haverhill, Mass., nearly 150 arrests for drunkenness have been made—Woburn (Mass.) city officials accused of violating ordinances and taking money to which they had no right are anxious for an investigation.

Monday, April 15.

Pitcher Carter of the Yale Club declines an offer to become a member of the Boston blue—New England Baptists leave Boston for the national convention today—The steamer Scythia is the first vessel to come under the new quarantine law at Boston—The body of a child was found in the woods off Day street, Roxbury, Mass.—Two South Boston children were drowned in the South bay—The Irish Nationalists celebrated the anniversary of the battle of Fontenoy at Boston theater—The death of Adams K. Tolman, a prominent Boston business man, is announced—Gossips are taking of a probable birth in the White House—A plan for a meeting between Prince Bismarck and Emperor William has been formulated—The most fertile and populous portion of northern Louisiana has been flooded. Loss will be over \$1,000,000—The belief is prevalent that China will retaliate upon American missionaries and merchants—The Aldine hotel at Philadelphia was damaged \$140,000 by fire—Hon. Henry Hitchcock has been appointed W. L. Storrs lecturer of municipal law in the Yale law school—The American Express company's manager at Portsmouth, N. H., is missing—A cyclist at Attleboro, Mass., fell upon a car track, was run over and will lose a foot—A man at Springfield, Mass., was stabbed in the place by his brother—The death of Bishop Bissell of the Episcopal diocese of Vermont is announced—Lizzie Borden is still in the Taunton (Mass.) jail—The arrangements are

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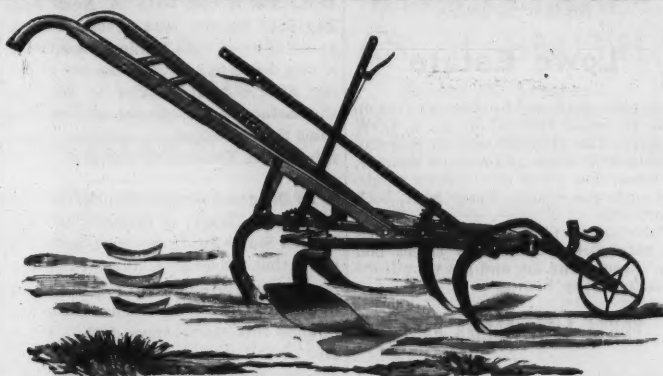
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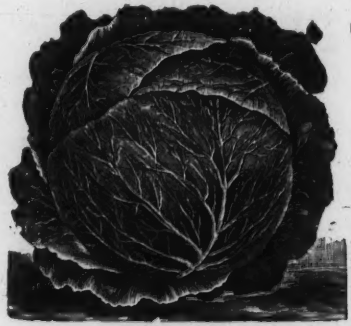
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The death of Gen. S. C. Armstrong, founder of the Hampton Institute for the education of Negroes and Indians, is a national loss. He was one of mankind's rare spirits and deserves an enduring public memorial.

The Lawrence police, backed by the Mayor and Aldermen, are actually showing a disposition to enforce the vote of no-license declared by the will of the citizens, without much surprise is expressed. This is a strange commentary on New England civilization.

Ex-Gov. Ames has promised to build a high-school edifice for the town of Easton, to cost \$60,000. Such acts of generosity are now growing so common among men of means that they scarcely excite more than passing comment. Yet some people persist in declaring that the world is growing worse. That is rank heresy and nonsense.

The recount increases slightly the plurality of Dr. Everett for Congress in the Seventh District. It was well for Speaker Barrett that he did not resign his gavel and chair at the State House, as he was urged to do, to show his "confidence in the result." Barrett is no such man, he's more like old Farmer Brown, "keeps all he gets and gets all he can."

The politicians are once more making up wry faces at the treatment they are receiving from their idol in the White House. He has issued orders that no office-seeker is to present his case in person, but all must leave the executive to make his appointments from information otherwise conveyed. This is a reform worthy of all praise. The President's time is too precious to be consumed by salary-hunters.

Again the ocean record has been broken. The "Campania" sailed from New York to Liverpool two hours more quickly than any preceding voyage—a little less than six days from port to port, and an average of 21.86 miles per hour for the entire trip. Many railroads do not average better speed than that. But a fast train in New York has kept up the land record with a speed of more than a mile a minute for a long distance. What's the use of flying, after all? It is safer to keep on the surface of the planet, and at the same time about as expeditious. Hurrah for the Nineteenth Century!

To the great disappointment of the country at large, a majority of the United States Supreme Court have decided that the Geary Chinese-exclusion law is constitutional. It fell to the lot of Justice Gray of Massachusetts to announce this unwelcome fact. Chief Justice Fuller and Justices Field and Brewer read dissenting opinions; Justice Harlan was absent, and the other five concurred in the rendering. If the question had been whether the law were honorable, just and expedient, a unanimous finding would have been given in the negative. It is now predicted that the Chinese government will reciprocate on American missionaries and traders.

The Boston officials having supervision of immigration have been called on to execute a new Congressional act, in the case of a large importation of foreigners on the "Scythia." That fine steamer reached her dock at East Boston, last Sunday afternoon, with about eleven hundred steerage passengers; and a large proportion of these had not complied with the law. The provisions of the new statute are quite stringent, requiring a minute registration of every person coming to this country to settle, under more than twenty different heads. The steamship companies are subject to a fine of \$10 per caput if they neglect this precaution. There is a strong public sentiment in favor of some restriction on this business, and future legislation is likely to tighten rather than loosen the regulations now existing.

The special town meeting next Monday night will be an important one, and should be attended by every citizen who can be there.

The board of sewerage commissioners will have some very important work to do in the next few years and should consist of the three very best men that can be induced to take the office. Our correspondent in another column has nominated a most excellent board. It would be almost impossible to select any three who are as familiar with Andover's needs in sewerage and the best way of satisfying them as are William S. Jenkins, John L. Smith and Dr. Abbott. We most heartily second the nomination.

The other articles in the warrant are also important ones, and should go through without opposition. There is every promise of a good bit of progress in good sidewalks this year, and everybody should be interested in it, for everybody uses them good or bad.

A correspondent in another column opens up the Andover post office question, in a vigorous letter, that touches many sides of the question. However much may be said on this question in its many phases, we feel constrained to say that Mr. Bradley did honestly endorse the candidacy of Mr. Sweeney at the outset of the contest. This fact is stated on most competent authority, and is due the parties interested out of common justice.

The fight is certainly a protracted one and from the tone of our correspondent's letter is a pretty hot one. Meanwhile the weather helps everybody to keep cool, and the old question of "Who is going to be postmaster?" is still very much to the point.

Have been Married Sixty-three Years.

Several weeks ago the TOWNSMAN stated that it would be glad to know the names of any couples living in Andover who have been married fifty years or more. At the same time the case of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gould, who have been fifty-six years of wedded life, fifty of which have been spent in the same place, was instanced. In response to this we have received information of another quite remarkable case.

A very noteworthy and well-known couple residing in West Parish—Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Carruth—were married Feb. 18, 1830, sixty-three years ago. They removed to their present place of residence in March 1839, which makes a period of over fifty-seven years spent in one dwelling.

Mr. Carruth is now in his ninetieth year and his venerable wife is about three years younger. Considering their advanced ages they may be called quite active and in reasonably good health. They are able to perform most of their household duties, and to enjoy in a remarkable degree the comforts of a home life.

We present our best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Carruth, and hope they may live to celebrate their diamond wedding. Are there any more instances of this kind in town?

Social and Entertainment.

The Ladies Charitable Society of the South Church held a very pleasant social at the vestry last evening from 7 to 10. Supper was served during the first part of the evening after which an entertainment was provided, which proved more than pleasing. The Seminary Quartette sang several selections in an excellent manner; Marion Spaulding and Annie Smart played a piano duet well; Miss Mary Alice Abbott read a comic selection, which convulsed the audience; the remainder of the programme, which was also very good, included a solo by Harry Noyes, piano solo, Miss Maud Cole; reading, Miss Fannie Berry; and songs by Miss Eaton.

Burglaries Last Night.

Central Street was again the scene of two burglaries sometime during last night. The residence of Mrs. Mills was successfully tried this time, entrance being effected by prying open a window. Not much booty was obtained, the following being the articles missed: Pin, white cameo head, on a black onyx ground, with gold band. Plain black onyx pin "World's Fair." Silver coffee spoon "World's Fair." After leaving this place the prowlers visited the residence of T. F. Pratt and were again successful in gaining an entrance in the same manner as at Mrs. Mills'. Here Mrs. Pratt's gold hunting case Swiss watch No. 90180 and a pocketbook containing a small sum of money were taken.

Mrs. Roberts's Bequests.

The will of the late Mary A. Roberts of Andover, proved Monday, bequeaths, on the death of her children, \$2000 to Phillips Academy, and \$1000 to Abbot Academy; also \$500 to the McAll Association and \$100 to the Juvenile Missionary Society of the West Church.

The legacy to Phillips is left in trust for the education of young men of limited means in the town of Andover, to be known as the George F. Roberts fund. The amount donated to Abbot is for young women of limited means in Andover, to be known as the James Jackson Roberts fund.

The Post Office.

Editor of the Townsman:

If you will have the kindness to make room in your teeming columns for my views on the post office situation I will be greatly obliged to you. I would not trespass upon your valuable space were it not for the conviction that the people of the town are greatly interested in the successor of Mr. Marland and by common right are entitled to know something of the inside history of the appointment. I have it from undoubted authority that the President inclines toward the appointment of Mr. Goldsmith, but having the highest regard for our distinguished representative in Congress, dislikes very much to offend him by sending in Mr. Goldsmith's name. Unfortunately, and I say it advisedly, Mr. Stevens committed his recommendation and influence to the candidate who is the most distasteful to the people of Andover. I know not the history of this alliance, unless it be a feeling of obligation for hustling, a feature in political campaigns that finds very little encouragement in a town of this character, where nine citizens out of ten are capable of forming their own judgments unannoyed by blatant, noisy, hurrah-boys politicians who know more about check lists than the principles of a campaign. I am convinced that Mr. Stevens is so firm a man and so true to his word that he could not be induced to recede from the position he has taken and yet, aside from his personal feelings, I hold it to be his plain duty to his constituents in this town to voice their sentiments and preference and not pursue a course that will be a vindication of his personal honor or the redemption of a pledge, laudable as that sort of thing is in itself. Constitutionally, a representative in Congress is the voice of his constituents and they have the right to control to a reasonable extent, his utterances, and if this limitation is distasteful to a man of congressional dimensions, it is his simple duty to resign. Better by far that a competent republican continue to administer the office than that the country be deprived of the distinguished services of Mr. Stevens. No man who has a proper appreciation of the glorious doctrines of democracy, who believes the ship of state will be best guided with honest, sound and intelligent democrats at the helm would stand in the light and prejudice the future aspirations of so splendid a representative. Bitter as is the contemplation, I am convinced that Mr. Stevens' course in this matter will lose him many votes should he come up for another term. The blind politician, infatuated with the spoils of temporary success, does not remember that the present democratic administration was put in power by the voice and vote and activity of that growing element in American politics—the independent. Within the temple of victory we must not close the door on the recruits. It is the duty of a true politician, the sound exponent of democracy, to be above selfishness and personal aggrandizement, and do all in his power to attract recruits to the party and build it up by encouraging such appointments to office as will inspire the respect and commendation of our opponents.

The logic of the situation points to the selection of Mr. Goldsmith for the post office. He is a democrat whose competency is unquestioned and whose previous conduct of the office was entirely satisfactory. In the absence of a really substantial objection to him his opponents allege he is not and has never been an active party worker. This charge will have little or no weight with thinking men, on the contrary I am inclined to think it is a feather in his cap. By nature, education, association and employment Mr. Goldsmith is clearly not a hustler or buttonholer. His valued and conspicuous service to the fathers and mothers and children of this town for the past twenty-five years gives him by far a stronger title to our favor and preference than any active party service, nurtured by personal hopes and vain glory. Such a man as Mr. Goldsmith, who knows why he is a democrat and can tell it, who is more familiar with party platforms, party history and party legislation than the methods of ward trickery, deals and jobbery, does more for the real success of democracy by his mere membership, than the loud-mouthed, coarse-tongued mockings of a handful of screechers could accomplish in a lifetime.

I am sorry that circumstances counsel Mr. Sweeney to abandon his candidacy. He has the merit of being ruggedly honest, sincere, and capable to an extent not generally accredited. Although his lines in life have not been in a clerical direction he has enough natural ability and quickness of perception to handle the office in a satisfactory manner. There were insurmountable barriers in his way, of which his chief adviser ("Heaven spare us from our friends"), must have been cognizant. Behind this advice the gleam of personal hopes shone forth, and the advantage in keeping true, trusting and loyal supporters in line, to boot. Believing that Mr. Stevens would feel a sense of obligation to party workers and conscious of the infirmities of Mr. Sweeney's candidacy, this maladviser in political finesse modestly entered the rolls in the spirit, upon his own declaration, of "anything to beat Goldsmith." Mr. Sweeney was the tool and joint of the kite.

My view is shared by many of the most reputable business men in the business portion of the town. Then followed the deal, which no man who pretends to lead a political contingent has any right under heaven to enter into, by which the present postmaster was to resign his incumbency immediately, in consideration of the support of Democrats for another office. Does this sort of thing commend itself to any faithful partisan of whatever complexion? But this is only one of the cases where the "Boss" has sacrificed the firmness and intelligence of men of less trickery to the promotion of his own ends, and subjected them to the scorn and ridicule of the other side. Better far that Democrats stand by their guns without concession or compromise, though they be only a handful, than enter into a deal so disgraceful to their party and themselves. As long as the Democratic party is right, as long as it is represented by its cleanest and ablest men, I am satisfied it will prevail. Politics, personal or party expediency, ought not to enter into town affairs and for this reason the "Boss" deserves a rebuff for his short-sightedness and jobbery.

I certainly hope Mr. Goldsmith will be appointed and believe he will, no matter with what tenacity Mr. Stevens sticks to his recommendation to the President. The office is too unimportant to excite very much interest in Washington, but there is right and wrong even in small things which should not be lost sight of. In case Mr. Goldsmith should not receive the appointment no blame should attach to the President, in my opinion. His time is so pre-occupied with this sort of thing that he must necessarily depend upon the judgment of the district's representative. In my opinion Mr. Stevens is in the current of his first mistake in a congressional career that has reflected great credit on the district and elevated him, in a brief time, to an exalted position in the councils of his party and the country. DEMOCRAT.

Musical.

Next Friday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock there will be an invitation musical at the November Club house, given by Miss Gertrude Meacham, assisted by Mr. John Orth of Boston and Mr. Frank Thomas of Cambridge. Miss Meacham contemplates giving lessons upon the pianoforte in Andover next fall and would be pleased to meet any interested in the subject, either at the recital or at the Mansion House.

The program for the musical will be as follows:

Chopin,	Polonaise brillante, Opus 22,
with accompaniment of second piano.	
Lully,	Gigue in E minor.
Porpora,	Fugue in G minor.
Bach,	Fantasia in C minor.
Schubert,	Song.
Schumann,	Minuetto from Opus 79.
	Nocturne, Opus 21, No. 1.
	Song.
Liszt,	Hungarian Fantasia,
with accompaniment of second piano, arranged by von Bulow.	

Wedding.

Last Monday morning at the Free Church parsonage occurred the marriage of Florence E., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Ashness, to Abram Dunham of Billerica, formerly of this town. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. A. Wilson. After this service a reception and wedding dinner followed at the home of the bride's parents on Main St., where Mr. and Mrs. Dunham received congratulations and many good wishes. They were the recipients of many pretty presents from their many friends. They left on the 8 o'clock train for Billerica where they will reside, Mr. Dunham being employed there.

For a Punched Teacher.

The visiting committee of the Punched School will receive applications for the position of third assistant for the coming year. The third assistant will be required to teach singing, algebra, history, English, Latin (intermediate), Greek (intermediate), botany, or their equivalents. Applications may be made to Rev. Frederic Palmer, Andover.

Sewerage Commissioners.

To the Editor of the Townsman:—
DEAR SIR: I have heard no names mentioned for the office of Sewerage Commissioners to be elected at the town meeting next Monday night. Permit me to mention three who, I think, will fill the requirements for so responsible a position most admirably. Wm. S. Jenkins, John L. Smith, Dr. C. E. Abbott. SEWERAGE.

Base Ball.

Outside of the Exeter contest, Wednesday's game attracted more attention than any other this season. For the first time in the history of the schools a team from Lawrenceville, N. J., where is located Princeton's preparatory school, came here to rival the greatest preparatory school in the country. A large crowd was present and was very enthusiastic. Both sides wished to win the worst way and the visitors were quite confident they would lower the Andover colors, but they failed, being defeated 5 to 4. The first inning almost decided the game when Andover made three runs by chance. Greenway did not pitch as well as usual for Andover, but nevertheless was effective. Smith, the opposing pitcher was almost a whole team. Besides being a fine twirler, he was their best batter, his timely hits bringing in three runs. Andover was in great glee when the last man was caught out in the ninth inning. The score:

Innings,	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Phillips Academy,	3 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 5
Lawrenceville,	0 1 1 0 0 0 2 0 4

Punchard Alumni Appear in Comedy.

An audience of about two hundred gathered in Punchard Hall last Friday evening to witness the dramatic entertainment given under the auspices of the Punchard Alumni Association by several members. The drama is called "Tulu" and is one of the bright productions of Grace Furniss. Only those who have undertaken anything of the kind know what a vast amount of work is necessary for the successful rendering of any play, and as the one given was quite difficult for amateurs, more than usual credit is due to those who so successfully carried out this interesting drama.

As the curtain was raised a cosy drawing-room was disclosed, in one corner of which danced the flames of an open fire, while a dainty tea-table added to the pretty scene. The aged butler who had served the Toedmag family night on to forty years, the dignified duchess and her lordly son whose sole possession seemed to be their name and the family jewels, chief among which was the Rance's necklace; the "fresh young photographer friend,"—all, "so very English, you know;" the irrepressible American school girl with her shocking manners and worse slang; her elder sister whose charms and prospective shekels made her a magnet for Cupid's darts; and the poor American lover. Each and all were represented so admirably that to particularize would be unfair. The Andover Band Orchestra filled the interims with lively music and helped to make up a very enjoyable evening's entertainment.

The personnel of the play was as follows:

Tulu Seersucker, Miss Fannie Meldrum
The Duchess of Toedmag, Mrs. M. E. Gutterton

Lord Blazonberrie, M. A. Clement
Petrolia Seersucker Miss Edith McLawlin
Dick Chetryn, J. Percy Roberts
Jack Ryder, G. A. Higgins
Robinson, the butler, P. F. Gilbert
"A most taking character, The camera.

Cricket.

The cricket game between the Mystics of Medford and Andovers last Saturday was prevented by rain from being played. To-morrow afternoon another game will be played here with the Athletics of Lawrence. Andover will have the following team: Capt. Bruce, Lowe, Ripley, Gordon, Pearson, Haddon, Kydd, White, Porter, Greig, Wilkie.

Prof. Tucker on Dartmouth.

The series of college addresses at Phillips Academy closed last Friday evening with a talk on Dartmouth by Prof. Tucker. Quite a large audience was present and enjoyed the interesting things said about this college. Dartmouth, Prof. Tucker said, was founded in 1768 with Eleazer Wheelock, a Yale graduate, as president. The characteristic tendency of Dartmouth graduates has been towards law, politics, and education. It has turned out 40 college presidents, 200 college professors, 60 members of Congress, and 24 governors of states. Among its famous alumni are Daniel Webster and Rufus Choate. Dartmouth is not a university, nor does it attempt university methods. It includes a medical school and a school of civil engineering, but its aim is college and not university work. In closing he spoke most eloquently of the meaning and scope of education in our time; of the glorious opportunities that await young men if they can see beneath the surface to the heart of the question and come in some measure to feel its stir a moment, and get near the real meaning of life, and understand more of the heart of science, the heart of man, and even the heart of God.

Entertainment and Election of Officers.

The semi-annual meeting of the Free Church Y. P. S. C. E. was held in the vestry last evening, and was well attended. The following officers were elected:

President.—Charles Baldwin.
Vice-President.—Mabel Ashness.
Secretary.—Annabel Richardson.
Treasurer.—Charles Richardson.

After the business there was an enjoyable social and literary entertainment. The following was the programme: reading, Paul Revere's Ride, Sarah Hobbs; song, William Scott; readings, The Planting of the Apple Tree, Rev. Mr. Wilson, How the Robin Came, Miss Farnum; recitation, Barbara Fritchie, Miss Jackson; song, J. P. Roberts; readings, The Old Clock, Sarah Saunders, Letter from the Bigelow Papers, J. P. Roberts. The serving of refreshments closed a pleasant evening.

The grocers of New England have set their faces like flint against the uncleanly practice of putting up granulated sugar in bags. Salt in bags is rapidly getting out of favor also. The always popular Crystalline Salt is invariably sold in round cartons, that exclude odors, dust and dampness.

The first new piece of concrete walk to be built according to the vote at the last town meeting is now being laid on Punchard Avenue by McEaney & Bingham of Lawrence.

On the evening of Memorial Day at the A.O.U.W. Hall there will be a debate between representatives of the Garfield Club L. L. A. and Bradford High School. The subject will be "Should Capital Punishment be abolished?" Andover will again have the affirmative and will be represented by George Bailey, Wm. Luman and Will Minor.

BALLARDVALE.

The old schoolhouse has been repainted and new windows will be put in.

Miss Edmiston and Miss Stansfield will attend the Chicago fair.

Charles Schwartz has moved into the Marland house on Marland Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fischer will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage on the 26th inst. A large number of invitations are out for the reception.

The Engine Company have voted to decorate the grave of their late friend and brother member, Frank R. DeShon, on Decoration Day.

Miss Lillian Vose of Cambridge and Miss Lottie J. Haley of Boston are visiting Miss Hodgdon at the M. E. parsonage.

Rev. Mr. Wyckoff preached at the Union Church last Sunday.

George Ewing, while at work with a circular saw in the machine shop of the Ballardvale Mills, had his wrist cut open by a piece of wood which became caught in the saw. Several stitches were necessary to bring the cut together.

Wm. Froesch and his friend Mr. E. Kloppefel, who is the son of a wealthy German lamp manufacturer, will visit the World's Fair, leaving the latter part of this month.

Carl Hoffman and Louis Kraugel leave for Germany next Monday. They will be joined in New York by Joseph Leitz of Allegheny, Pa. They will sail the latter part of the week.

M. E. Clemons is working on another electric railroad scheme which will be made public very soon.

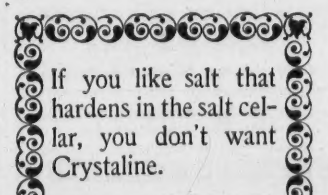
Notice what L. C. Moore & Co., 302 to 310 Essex Street, Lawrence, have to say about their Thistle Pattern Dinner Sets. See their ad. in another column.

Obituary.

WILLIAM G. TOWNSEND.

If Pope's saying, "An honest man is the noblest work of God," is true, then the man whose name heads this brief tribute was surely one of nature's noblemen. Mr. Townsend was a man of sterling integrity, ever mindful of the interests of his friends and ready to defend or assist them in any way, and never small or mean himself, he detested these traits in others, and he was outspoken in his condemnation of anything unbecoming. He was the son of Nathan and Eliza (Harnden) Townsend, and was born in Andover 70 years ago last December. He later removed to Wilmington where he resided for many years. He came here twenty years ago and has since boarded with his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Buck. He has had charge of the Shawheen Grove for eighteen years. The cause of his death was blood poisoning, death occurring last Friday afternoon after about a fortnight's illness, and the funeral was held Sunday from his late home, Rev. Mr. Wyckoff conducting the services. Many friends were present from out of town. The Harmony Club sent a floral pillow, he being a member of that organization. Friends contributed an ivy wreath and sheaves of wheat, and Mrs. Stark sent a bunch of calla lilies. Interment was in the family lot at Wilmington.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Roxbury Spofford of North Andover, in the county of Essex, and commonwealth of Massachusetts, to A. Harvey Kimball, dated August eighth, 1889, recorded with Essex North District Deeds, libro 100, folio 367, and duly assigned to John F. Kimball, by deed of assignment dated May second, 1893, and recorded with Essex North District Deeds, libro 124, folio 214, will be sold at public auction, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, on Saturday, the third day of June 1893, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises, a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said North Andover, bounded as follows: viz.,—Beginning at the south-east corner at land now or once of the heirs of John Kittredge, deceased, and the old road leading by the house of the late Dr. Joseph Kittredge, thence running northwesterly by said old road to its junction with the road leading by the High School-house in said North Andover, fifteen rods and fourteen links; thence southwesterly by said last named road sixteen rods and twenty links to land now or formerly of said heirs of John Kittredge; thence easterly by last named land twelve rods and twenty-seven links to the first named bound, comprising one hundred and nine rods of land.

JOHN F. KIMBALL, Assignee.
Andover, May 12, 1893.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

ESSEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, Next of Kin, Creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Sarah J. Chickering, late of Andover, in said county, widow, deceased:

GREETING: WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Samuel Chickering who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond, for the reasons alleged in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem, in said county of Essex, on the first Monday of June, next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said Samuel Chickering is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, printed at Andover, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

J. T. MAHONEY, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

ESSEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Widow, Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, Creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Erastus Gile, late of Andover, in said County, brickmason, deceased:

GREETING: WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Amanda G. Gile, Mary G. Gile, Sarah M. Gile and S. Annie Gile, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bonds for the reasons alleged in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem, in said county of Essex, on the first Monday of June, next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, printed at Andover, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

J. T. MAHONEY, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

ESSEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, and other persons interested in the estate of Horace Wilson, late of Andover, in said county, carpenter, deceased:

GREETING: WHEREAS, Joseph W. Fulton, administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented to said Court for allowance the first and final account of his administration on said estate and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the next of kin of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem, in said County, on the first Monday of June, next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same, once a week, in the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, a newspaper printed at Andover, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, ROLLIN E. HARMON, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

J. T. MAHONEY, Register.

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PAID THE PENALTY

Almy Hanged For the Murder of Miss Christie Warden.

A Brief Story of One of the Most Atrocious Crimes Ever Committed in New England, as Told by Fannie Warden.

CONCORD, N. H., May 16.—Frank C. Almy was executed within the walls of the New Hampshire state prison this morning. The execution, like all others in this state, was held in the west corridor of the cell room of the prison, the scaffold being erected in the south end of the corridor so that the murderer stepped from the guard room directly upon the gallows.

He spent his last night in the matron's room in the south wing of the prison, and as the sentence commanded that he be hanged between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m., he was delivered into the custody of General Charles O. Hurlburt, the sheriff of Grafton county, soon after the former hour. The gallows had been tested the day before, and were in waiting for their fatal work.



FRANK C. ALMY.

The condemned man, surrounded by deputy sheriffs and accompanied by the warden, Captain George W. Colbath, and the chaplain of the prison, Rev. E. R. Wilkins, was conducted to the scaffold. He took his place on the trap, his knees were pinioned, the noose was adjusted, the black cap shut out the sunlight from his eyes forever, the sheriff in solemn phraseology announced that he was about to execute the law, the drop fell and Christie Warden's falsehearted lover had paid the penalty of his crime.

Story of the Crime.

Andrew H. Warden was a prosperous farmer living near Hanover, N. H., the location of Dartmouth college. His family was noted for its intelligence. His daughters ranked high as scholars. Christie, a girl of about 26, was especially noted, and was a beautiful specimen of the blonde type. Frank C. Almy was a mystery. He appeared suddenly in the neighborhood and worked for Mr. Warden during the winter. He was a man of refinement and good education, but had a violent temper, and the family became convinced that Almy was not his true name.

Early in the season of 1891 he was discharged after he had in vain implored Christie to marry him, and threatened her with death if she refused. His threat was speedily fulfilled.

The narrative of the tragedy, as related by Fannie, Christie's sister, is in substance that her mother and a friend, Miss Goodell, went out in the afternoon of July 17, 1891, to make some calls, having arranged with Fannie and Christie to meet them in the evening. This was carried out. They started for home at 9:30 o'clock. Fannie was walking beside Christie, directly behind Mrs. Warden and Miss Goodell. When they reached the foot of a hill in a ravine, Almy sprang from the shadow of a tree, and, stepping up beside Christie, said:

"I have come a thousand miles to see you."

Christie made no reply, but grasped Fannie's arm, and Almy, addressing Mrs. Warden, said: "You know me, Mrs. Warden. I am Frank Almy."

"Yes," replied Mrs. Warden, "I know you; don't trouble Christie."

Almy had in the meantime seized Christie by the arm. "I want to see Christie alone," he continued, and when Mrs. Warden exclaimed, "We must not let him harm Christie," he

Drew a Pistol From His Pocket and pointed it at the mother. He finally succeeded in pulling Christie away from her sister's grasp and dragged her through bars into a pasture. Running up the road a short distance Fannie told Miss Goodell to hasten for help. Fannie hurried back and followed her sister into the pasture. When Almy saw her following he shouted: "Go back, or I will shoot you," and at that moment Christie cried, "Help, Fan, he is pulling my clothes off."

Fanny kept on, despite the warning, and Almy shot at her. She felt the wind of the bullet as it whistled by her ear. She topped only for a moment, when he fired again, and a third shot was directed at her, when she essayed to go on. By this time Almy had reached the clump of willows with his burden, and almost simultaneously a young man named Emmett Marshall appeared on a knoll on the opposite side of the ravine. He was immediately seen by Almy, who preternaturally ordered him to halt.

Marshall started for assistance, and immediately after two more reports of the revolver were heard, preceded by sounds as if blows had been struck. Then Almy broke from cover and ran over a hill on the west side of the ravine.

Fanny went to the willows and found her sister

Lying on Her Back, Dead, her body stripped, except a waist and some underclothing. People who had been alarmed arrived at the scene, and the murdered girl was removed to her home.

The story of the sufferings endured by the victim of the terrible murder was nuttely told by her remains. The face and forehead were covered with abrasions, caused probably by blows from the stock of a revolver. Directly under the left eye was a wound made by a bullet, which passed down and out of the neck. The face about the wound was powder burned to an extent which indicated that the pistol must have been held very close to it if not in actual contact with the flesh. The other bullet entered the body in the small of the back, passed downward through the abdomen and came out. That death was practically instantaneous is probable, because of the terrible wounds and from the fact that there were no signs of life when her sister reached the body. That there was a struggle and a severe one is clearly evidenced by her hands, both of which were cruelly torn and bruised.

A MURDEROUS ASSAULT.

A Springfield Man Receives Five Knife Wounds From His Brother.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 15.—Charles King was stabbed in five places last evening by his brother John at the residence of the family on Willow street. John came to the house in an intoxicated condition and, after a brief altercation, pulled out a large clasp knife which he used in his work of carving chairs, and plunged it into his brother.

The latter escaped from the house after a severe struggle and managed to reach the police station, where his wounds were dressed by Dr. E. C. Collins. All the wounds were nearly three inches in depth and one came within less than half an inch of penetrating the heart, while two others were almost on a line with the first one. One cut was almost in the middle of the back, while the fifth was a savage gash in the posterior. The wounded man was sent to the city hospital.

John King was arrested. He lays the fault of the quarrel on his brother, and claims he acted in self-defense. He will be arraigned on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon. Both brothers are tough characters and have almost constantly been at war with the police.

Three Wrecks.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., May 18.—Yesterday witnessed three wrecks off Thatcher's Island light. Schooners Oscego and Glenora went ashore in the early morning. The Oscego lost one man. She is a total loss. The trio of wrecks was completed later in the morning when the Lamartine went down 18 miles east-southeast of the island. The Edith M. McNis, Captain John McNis, arrived in port last evening with the only two rescued from the Lamartine. Volunteer life savers made heroic rescues.

Monster Engine For the Boston and Maine. PEABODY, Mass., May 18.—The big freight engine No. 510 was given a trial yesterday on the Boston and Maine road. It was too heavy for the tracks. With a train she started for the South Reading branch, but the rails spread on her, and the monster engine settled down on the sleepers. The wrecking gang from Salem had a hard time of it replacing the engine where she ought to be.

Woman Charged With Bigamy. BRIDGEPORT, Conn., May 17.—Mrs. Frederick Hubbell of this city was arrested yesterday, charged with bigamy. Her husband is an oysterman, and on July 25, 1892, while he was on a cruise, Mrs. Hubbell called upon Rev. J. N. Emery, pastor of the Universalist church here, and was married to Henry Carter.

Jefferson Submits to a Surgical Operation. NEW YORK, May 16.—Joseph Jefferson yesterday submitted to a severe surgical operation. For a week or more he has had a large abscess in his throat, and it grew to be so painful that he had to submit to the surgeon's knife. Mr. Jefferson was resting fairly well last night.

Must Stand For Sentence. BOSTON, May 18.—Mrs. "Dr." Sophia C. Thompson was lawfully convicted of criminal malpractice in causing the death of Charlotte S. Hopkins, and she must stand for sentence. The full bench of the supreme court today rendered a decision overruling her exceptions.

Beverly's Aspiration. BEVERLY, Mass., May 17.—The town is expected to show a population of over 12,000 next July when the census is to be taken. The townspeople want Beverly to be a city, and if the census comes up to their expectations, the legislature will be petitioned to that effect.

Almy's Burial Place Kept Secret. CONCORD, N. H., May 18.—The body of Murderer Almy was removed from the state prison early yesterday morning, but the authorities decline to state where or when it was buried. The undertaker admitted that the body is in Concord, but would say nothing beyond that.

To View the Borden's Skulls. FALL RIVER, Mass., May 17.—Andrew J. Jennings and Dr. John H. Abbott called at Medical Examiner Dolan's home yesterday afternoon, where they remained more than half an hour. The purpose of the visit was to look at the skulls of the murdered Borden.

Charged With Murder. BENNINGTON, Vt., May 17.—State Attorney Cushman issued warrants for the arrest of Blanche Franklin and Mrs. Etta Holenback, charged with taking the life of the infant child found in Potash brook in South Burlington last Wednesday.

A Sad Accident. LYNN, Mass., May 16.—Edna M. Veeder, 8 years of age, fell into a tub of water yesterday at the home of her parents, 301 Broadway. The mother found her babe lifeless at the bottom of the tub an hour after the accident had happened.

Saco Streets Flooded. BIDDEFORD, Me., May 18.—The Saco river has been gradually rising ever since the storm and the water is the highest in 12 years, and several streets in Biddeford and Saco near the river are flooded. There is fear that the booms may break.

Bishop Bissell Dead. BURLINGTON, Vt., May 15.—Bishop W. H. A. Bissell of the Episcopal diocese (Vermont) died about noon yesterday. He had rallied from the well-nigh fatal attack of last December, but unfavorable symptoms set in last Friday.

War Vessels In Gloucester Harbor. GLOUCESTER, Mass., May 17.—United States sloop of war Kearsarge has arrived from Norfolk to be present at the trials of the New York. At the present time there are in port two warships and five government tugs.

Death of Father Pelletier. SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 17.—Rev. Father Everest Pelletier, aged 45, pastor of the French Catholic church at Chicopee, is dead. He was born at Yamachiche, P. Q. He served at one time in Rome as a soldier to the pope.

Geary Law Sustained. WASHINGTON, May 16.—The supreme court, through Justice Gray, has sustained the decision of the New York courts in favor of the constitutionality of the Geary exclusion act. Justice Brewer dissented.

A Gay Old Widow. BRIDGEPORT, Conn., May 18.—Mrs. Richard Congdon, a widow, over 60 years of age, eloped with Thomas Shea, a bartender, who is 35 years old. Mrs. Congdon left several grown up children here.

Cape Ann Granite Company Sold Out. GLOUCESTER, Mass., May 18.—The plant and property of the Cape Ann Granite company was sold at auction yesterday by order of the court to the Rockport Granite company for \$80,700.

Wherever there is a lot of wear and tear on paint it is absolutely necessary to have the best. Poor paint lasts no time—it is not made to last, nor are its constituents calculated to render it durable. All the elements of poor paint are cheap. Cheapness does not mean economy but rather the reverse. That which is best made from the best materials lasts the longest, and therefore is the most economical, even if it costs a trifle more at the start. This is the case with the Chilton Paints, whose name is a synonym for satisfaction. Every one of their component parts is the best that the market affords, and no cheap substitutes are used in their manufacture. For instance ill-smelling benzine is not used as a drier, instead of turpentine. Pure linseed oil gives a good solid body to the Chilton Paints. They are carefully ground seven times, and such is their capacity that they will cover far more surface than any other paints manufactured. Whatever paint you use, however, give in a fair chance, and see that it is never applied to a wet or even damp surface. If you disregard this advice you will regret it.

The Rockies From Denver.

It surprised me to discover that Denver was a city of the plains. There is nothing in the appearance of the plains to lead one to suppose that they tilt up like a toboggan slide, as they do, or that Denver is a mile above the sea level, as it is. But a part of its enormous good fortune is that although it is a plain city it has the mountains for near neighbors—a long peaked and scalloped line of purple or pink or blue or snow-capped green, according to when they are viewed. There are 200 miles or more of the Rockies in sight in clear weather. As there are but 56 cloudy days in the year, and as these mountains elevate and inspire even the dullest souls, I think we can forget that it is a city of the plains and ever associate it with the mountains hereafter.—Julian Ralph in Harper's.

How He Had Fun With Him.

Two giddy young men were strolling through Midway place the other day, when they saw a Turk a short distance ahead of them.

"Do you see the Turk?" said one of them. "I am going to have some fun with him."

So presently he said to the Turk: "Well, old Fezy, how's your liver?" And the Turk replied, in perfectly good English:

"Much better than your manners, Jr."—Chicago Tribune.

Bright Dick Quick.

The favorite student at the east Maine conference seminary at Bucksport is Dick Quick, the first mate of the 4-masted schooner Talopa, who had the courage to enter the institution without knowing even how to read or write, but in two terms with hard work has become one of the smart pupils and can now handle a pen as well as a marling spike.—Lewiston Journal.

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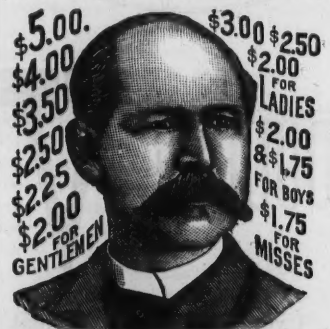
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TWO WIDOWS WHO LEFT AN IMPRESSION ON SOCIAL LIFE.

At the Capital Mrs. Madison Was Always Treated as the "Lady of the White House"—Mrs. Hamilton's Influence Was in the Direction of Charity.

Mrs. Madison was in high fashion during her later years. Society has its attacks of this kind and takes up with as little reason as it puts down a favorite. But there came with this late burst of social warmth some good results into her rather chilled and necessitous life. For in that day it was positive loss of fortune to have held any public position. Mrs. Madison had in vain tried for years to effect a sale of Mr. Madison's papers to the government, and for want of this her means were very straitened. How it came about I do not know, but it grew to be the correct and indispensable thing to call on Mrs. Madison immediately on leaving the president's levee.

Her house was that diagonally opposite from Mr. Sumner's. There the best people met regularly, and yet no one could have said why. Mrs. Madison was once the "lady of the White House." She had had the quick thought to cut Washington's portrait by Stuart from its frame and roll it carefully and carry it off in safety from the invading British troops already burning Bladensburg. She was always gracious and sweet mannered, and to her great credit, as much so in her days of changed fortunes as when she was surrounded by every aid to a placid state of mind. And yet this was about all that was said. And yet it was such an unwritten law that Mrs. Madison must have what she wished that—just because of this mysterious decree of fashion—she actually got from congress what she had vainly petitioned for for years.

Mr. Buchanan stated one morning to the senate that on such a day Mrs. Madison would be such an age, and that the \$20,000 asked for Mr. Madison's papers would come well to her as a birthday present, and it was immediately voted to her. To be sure it was for the writings of a good patriot and statesman, and the woman to receive it was of great age, and it was in that far better than the vote for nearly the same amount for the cruel daub of a good man and soldier which was an evidence that emotional legislation is not yet extinct.

But this made the occasion of a grand levee for congratulating Mrs. Madison and was among the last occasions on which she was seen in public. Her fine figure had outlasted the threescore and ten years, and when well prepared for company, in her worn, old fashioned empire gown, her turban and clusters of artificial curls—just as we see them in the portraits of Mme. de Stael—the neck and outlines of the face well shrouded in folds of tulle, she was still the handsome Mrs. Madison. I am quite sure I never heard her called "the widow of Madison."

But that was the prefix always made to the historical name of another woman of the same age, who also asked of congress the same favor shown to Mrs. Madison.

This lady was small and always wore the widow's dress she had to assume in her early life. For over 50 years she did not vary this outward emblem of the solitude of her heart.

She, too, like Mrs. Madison, was amiable and of charming manners, but she turned from the world forever when her great husband fell in the duel with Burr, and from that time, her own children first, and close to them in her interest the orphans of the poor, received all her attention. Mrs. Hamilton was the chief founder of the Orphan Asylum of New York. She saw its fiftieth anniversary; she saw the other charities that grew out of it—the Children's Aid society is one—and though her quiet life is ended her good works go on, and her family as well as her memory are living parts of them.

Mrs. Hamilton was very small and light of figure. Her dark, bright eyes and white hair gave her a marquise effect, and her widow's dress gave the framing which suited her years and name. She was very fond of young people and would tell us things—incidentally—which made the early hardships and penalties of the war for independence very real.

In speaking of traveling on horseback, she told us once how her mother and herself had to give that up for a time and only go from Saratoga to Albany when a strong escort could guard them. "It was after poor Jane McCrea had been killed by the Indians," and she made us such a picture of the condition of the Indians after the English enlisted them against us, that we "realized" how far back lay the time when such a thing was possible, and "poor Jane McCrea" became a real girl in place of the bad little wood cut, with one Indian holding her long hair, and the other flourishing his tomahawk as he kept his foot on the keg of whisky.

They have passed completely away—the handsome, gracious, society loving Mrs. Madison and the gentle "widow of Alexander Hamilton." But Washington is the wrecking ground of great names. There are to be seen now, thankfully working for slender pay and tremblingly anxious to keep it safe amid the changes in the departments, descendants of presidents, chief justices, of secretaries of the treasury, of Jefferson, Franklin, and of others of later names—men who gave literally their all to their country, and who deserved the praise Talleyrand gave of Hamilton, of whom he said: "I have seen true public virtue. I have seen the minister of finance, who gave wealth to his country, toiling through the late hours of the night to gain a support for his young family."—Mrs. Jessie B. Fremont in New York Ledger.

It causes a terrible falling off in the receipts of the village postmaster when an engaged couple gets married. Were it not for love the post office department would soon go into bankruptcy.

Suggestions For Churchgoers.

The next time your journey leaves you stranded in the great and delightful city of New Chocokadelpia on the Sabbath day, if you should go to the Church of St. Indolence—I can recommend it as having the slowest singing and the softest pew cushions with a preacher to match, in the city—you will see the following "Suggestions to Worshipers."

"Fall or slide in the pew nearest the aisle. Stay there. Do not sit erect, but lop. Rest one elbow on the arm of the pew and support the side of the face with the outspread palm.

"Do not rise during the singing of the hymns. The fact that you played tennis or baseball on Saturday afternoon or walked four or five miles around a billiard table Saturday night entitles you to a little rest on Sabbath morning.

"Extend your legs as far under the pew as you can without sliding off the seat. Gracefully and politely cover your mouth with your hand while yawning during the sermon. If the minister is looking at you, cover the mouth with both hands, and at the close of the yawn bring your jaws together with a cheerful snap.

"After looking at your watch always turn your head and gaze longingly and earnestly toward the door.

"Do not move if a stranger, accompanied by his wife and daughter, attempts to enter your pew. Permit them to climb over your legs, no matter how much it may annoy you.

"Do not annoy strangers who may enter the church by looking at them or even glancing in their direction. If they really want a seat, they will find one without the intrusive interference of other people.

"At the close of service remark aloud, but to yourself, that you are hungry as a shark and set off for home at a brisk trot."—Robert J. Bardette in Sunday School Times.

Goes to School Monday.

A very sensible lady out on Ninth street delayed sending her small son to the public schools until he should be old enough to look after himself and has been teaching him herself in order that he might not fall too far behind other boys of his age. Yesterday morning Master Freddy came gravely up to his mother for his lesson. After the regular routine was ended his mother put a few leading questions:

"Freddy, what is a year?"

"Three hundred and sixty-five days."

"What is a day?"

"Twenty-four hours—and an hour is 60 minutes, and a minute is 60 seconds."

"What is an instant?"

"An instant?" and Master Freddy knitted his downy brow a brief space while he thought. "Oh, yes, I know, I know, mamma. An instant is a hole in the ground."

"A hole in the ground!" exclaimed his mother, totally taken aback. "Why, how in the world do you make that out?"

"Why," declared Master Fred with decision, as he hurriedly opened his reader, "this book says, 'John's dog fell down in an instant!'"

Freddy will start to school Monday.—Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.

The Elephant's Sense.

Why an elephant should be afraid of a mouse is a mystery. Some have doubted the generosity of the elephant because of his aversion to small animals, but none can doubt his intelligence. Buffon, notwithstanding his idea of the mere mechanism of animals, spoke of the elephant as at the same time a "miracle of intelligence and a monster of matter." Ernest Menault happily referred to him as the animal that carried his nose in his hand. Hence the marvelous intelligence of his trunk. The senses of touch and smell co-operate.

The nerves which extend through his trunk are so numerous that they equal in number all those distributed over the rest of the body. The elephant can keep perfect time to music. He has the ear perfectly organized, and the hearing is extremely fine. The eye of the elephant is distinguished from that of other animals by the pathetic expression of sentiment. Take him all in all, naturalists agree that he is the most intelligent of animals. And why should he be afraid of a mouse?—New York Tribune.

Improved Boats and Muscles.

The boat with which the Oxford crew won the great 'varsity race must have had a pneumatic tire. With better methods of training and improved systems of rowing the men of today have unquestionably the advantage of those of past years, but too much credit must not be given where it is not due. The vast improvement in boats must not be overlooked in considering the time of the race.

Neither Harvard nor Yale has anything to fear from Oxford or Cambridge provided a better boat can be made here than that in which the victorious Oxford crew rowed. It was the pneumatic tire and not Nancy Hanks that played havoc with Maud S's record. Good horses make good jockeys, and good boats make good crews.—New York Tribune.

He Didn't Bring It Home.

After the return of the drummer from his travels his young wife explored his grip with an expectant face. Failing to find that of which she was apparently in search, she turned to him and said:

"Where is the jag?"

"The what?" he asked in astonishment.

"The jag. Mrs. Laces says her husband saw you in Chicago with a lovely jag on. Whatever it is, you are not wearing it, and it isn't in your grip."

"Oh, that's all right. I left it at the office. By the way, I saw a handsome spring hat in a milliner's shop down town. If you care, we will go down town and you can look at it, and if you like it you can have it."—New York Press.

Calling It by Its Right Name.

"How shall I enter the money the cashier skipped today?" asked the book-keeper. "Under profit and loss?" "No; suppose you put it under running expenses."—Society Journal.



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NORTH ANDOVER.

The Selectmen met at the Town Farm Monday.

A meeting of the United Endowment League will be held this evening.

The buildings at "Hayfields" have all been repainted, and are looking very attractive.

The street over Sutton's hill has been widened somewhat, and is much improved by so doing.

Mrs. Mary Sutton and Mrs. Lila Young are at "Hill Crest" for the summer.

It is expected that Rev. A. H. Amory will occupy the Frothingham house this season.

Mr. Albert Berry sustained a severe fracture of the skull from the kick of a horse last Monday. He was ploughing and on stooping to adjust some part of the harness received the injury. At present his condition is favorable. Dr. Morrill attends him.

Mr. B. H. Morrison and sister opened their summer home here last Tuesday.

The pipes for the continuation of the Elm Street sewer have been delivered, and Road Commissioner Smith will commence work as soon as the ground dries sufficiently.

An L is being added to the house of Mr. James E. Lawlor, Main Street.

Sunday evening, as the 7.10 electric car from the Centre was near the corner of Pleasant and Clarendon Streets, Lila, the little daughter of Mr. James Woodhouse of Pleasant St., started to cross directly in front of the car which was going at good speed. Motorman Hart immediately applied the brake stopping the car abruptly, and thus preventing a fatal accident. The motor, as a result, caught fire but was extinguished by a pail of water. The car was disabled however, and after some delay was taken to the power station.

At the business meeting of the Epworth League Wednesday evening, it was voted to have an entertainment on Wednesday evening, May 31st.

Mr. William Halliday is regaining his health at Pittsfield, Vt.

Mr. George G. Davis and family arrived at their summer home in town, yesterday.

Principal Flagg and Miss Sargent of the J. H. S. are taking the day for visiting schools.

Rev. W. H. Woodwell of Sandwich, Mass., will preach at the Congregational Church, Sunday.

The strawberry festival of Bradstreet Colony Pilgrim Fathers for the enjoyment of members and invited friends will be on Tuesday evening, June 6th. One new member was initiated at its last meeting.

There will be a social gathering in charge of the literary department of the Epworth League at the M. E. Church Wednesday evening.

Mr. Loring N. Farnum commenced surveying the streets last Monday. As soon as his plans relating to a system of water-works and the estimate of the cost thereof are submitted to the committee on water supply, another special town meeting will be called for consideration of the matter.

Mr. John Kennelly has presented a claim to the Selectmen for damages by water to his property on Ashland St.

Mrs. Aaron G. Rea is now convalescent.

It is understood that the Selectmen have located an electric light near "Whittier's Court" on Water Street, as the placing of the light at the corner of Water and Clarendon Streets, as was first intended, would interfere with the electric railroad feed wires.

The meeting of the Memorial Day committee for the final arrangement of plans will be this evening.

The subject of the sermon of Rev. Henry Matthews next Sunday morning will be Christians' Hope.

Mr. Edward Adams has accepted the contract of laying out streets and improving lots of land suitable for building purposes in South Lawrence, where he will soon go with his force of men to engage in the work.

At divers times it has come to the knowledge of members of the G. A. R. and others about town that the graves of the soldiers in the cemeteries in town have been despoiled of their decorative emblems and tributes within twenty-hours after the departure of friends from the yard. This desecration has been particularly noticeable in regard to the graves within Ridgewood Cemetery, and the Memorial Day committee and police will, it is understood, take precautionary measures to prevent thefts of this kind and use every possible effort to have the offenders brought to justice should the work in this line be repeated.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hall are at home in their handsome new house in this place.

The class supper of the graduates of '93 will be given in the Town Hall this evening.

Mother Nature seems to be unusually lavish with her water this house-cleaning season, and the farmers are far from appreciating the fact.

The services next Sunday in St. Paul's Church will be morning prayer and Holy Communion at 10.30, Sunday School at 12.00, and evening service at 7.00. The Rev. S. S. Searing, the missionary to deaf mutes in Boston will officiate.

The County Convention for High School teachers to be held in the City Hall, Lawrence, has been deferred and will probably be held next Friday.

Under the direction of Road Commissioner Smith Edward Adams is at work with his powerful road scraping machine, improving the highway in the vicinity of Parker, Elm, and Greene Streets.

The following committees of the Epworth League have been chosen: Spiritual work, C. W. Dillon, Misses Mary H. Stone, Hannah D. Brierley; mercy and help, Misses Mabel Pilling, M. H. Stone, H. D. Brierley, and Miss Bell; literary department, F. W. Abbott, Rev. Henry Matthews, Mr. Smallwood, Charles Hinman; entertainment committee, Miss Marion Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Bedell, Mr. Trauschke; correspondence, E. D. Tufts, Mrs. E. D. Tufts, Misses Haigh and Hinchcliffe.

Old friends of Rev. H. H. Leavitt, were pleased to see him in town once more. He called upon a few friends yesterday, and in the evening lectured before the Historical Society of Lawrence upon "Holland, Past and Present." Among those who were present from town were Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Furber, Misses Augusta Holt, Annie Elvey, and Hon. N. P. Frye.

Mr. Kennedy, superintendent at Stevens' Mills, resigned last week.

The Ladies' Circle of the M. E. Church are to have a strawberry festival, the date of which is to be announced later.

Last Sunday the Epworth League observed its anniversary. The pastor remembered the event by giving, in the evening, an address upon John Wesley, in honor of whose birth-place the League receives its name. Programmes prepared by the secretary, Dr. Shell, were used.

The last half session of the schools before Memorial Day will be generally observed by exercises appropriate to the day.

Fanny, wife of Mr. Brook Hurst of Lawrence Street, died at her home last Saturday, aged 29 years. Funeral services were held at the house Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. A. H. Amory officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Sutton are now at the World's Fair. Upon their return they will spend the remainder of the summer at Newcastle, N. H.

Mr. Simeon Jerome Kittredge has purchased the house of Mrs. Rosa Greenleaf on Marblehead Street, Union Heights.

Mr. E. A. Baldwin has purchased a new horse.

Card.

We desire to render our thanks through the columns of the TOWNSMAN to those friends and neighbors who testified their sympathy by many acts of kindness during sickness and at the time of recent bereavement.

MR. AND MRS. SAMUEL LIGGETT.

Obituary.

Mrs. Hannah (Liggett), wife of Mr. Fred Long of Middleton, died quite suddenly at the home of her brother, Mr. Samuel Liggett, last Friday morning of consumption. She was born in North Andover 43 years ago, and since an attack of la grippe a few years ago, has been in ill health. She was one of twins, her sister dying at the age of thirteen years. Funeral services were held at the house Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Henry Matthews of the M. E. Church officiating. Hymns were rendered by a quartette consisting of Misses Mary H. Stone, Marion Paul, Messrs Edmund S. Colby and Martin J. Towne. The floral tributes were: Roses from Mr. and Mrs. Liggett; basket, Mr. James L. Brackett; calla lilies, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Chalk; bouquet, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Kittredge. Burial was at Ridgewood cemetery.

MICHAEL MORRISSEY.

Mr. Michael Morrissey, who has been in the care of physicians at Lawrence City Hospital for a few weeks, died at that place on Wednesday morning of bronchitis, at the age of 70 years. His body was brought to his home on Maple Avenue on the day of his death. He became seriously ill about three weeks ago.

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and since that time had been gradually failing. He was born in County Kilkenny, Ireland, and came to this country about forty years ago. He was employed in the North Andover Mill for many years. His wife died nineteen years ago, leaving him with five children. All of whom survive him. They are Mrs. Patrick Murphy, Miss Hannah Morrissey, Messrs. John, Thomas E., and William Morrissey. Funeral services were held this morning at 9 o'clock in St. Michael's Church, Rev. Fr. McManus officiating at the solemn requiem service of high mass. The bearers were Messrs. Patrick Keegan, Timothy Sullivan, John Connolly, Michael Reagan. Among the tributes of esteem was a sheaf of wheat from Mrs. Michael Quealy.

Arrangements for Memorial Day.

COMRADE M. T. WADLIN, MARSHAL.

As a result of the deliberations of the Memorial Day committee, plans for a fitting observance and commemoration of the day have matured, and the outline follows:

Under the command of Chief Marshal M. T. Wadlin the line will be formed at 8 o'clock sharp, right resting on Water Street in front of, or near, Merimack School, in the following marching order: Platoon of police, under Chief E. S. Robinson; No. Andover Drum Corps; Co. L. 8th Reg't, Capt. Coan. Carriages with local clergymen, selectmen, barge with school children, barge with disabled comrades, delegation of veterans from Needham Post 39, G. A. R., Lawrence, under Senior Vice Commander Brown, Gen. I. L. Stevens, Camp S. O. V. ROUTE.

At the word of command the procession will move through Water Street to Elm, to Main to Prospect Street where a halt will be ordered until the graves in the old cemeteries are visited and decorated. Resuming the march will be directed through Garfield Square to Salem Street and the procession will enter Ridgewood cemetery at the lower gate, and halt at the G. A. R. lot, where there will be simple exercises consisting of singing by the school children under the supervision of Mr. Edward Butterworth, prayers, and one or two short addresses by local clergymen. The living having paid appropriate tribute to memory of the heroic dead, the procession will be reformed and take up the line of march through Salem, Lawrence, and Osgood Streets, halting at Stevens Hall for a collation, and then reform and proceed through Osgood, Pleasant, Elm and Water Streets, and be dismissed at point of starting.

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Loans and Discounts	\$394,829.41
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	34.47
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
Due from approved reserve agents	13,919.87
Banking House, furniture, and fixtures	61,125.21
Current Expenses and Taxes paid	219.55
Checks and other cash items	5,566.02
Bills of other Banks	4,819.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	153.00
Specie	8,141.85
Legal-tender notes	10,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	2,200.00
Total	\$644,178.36

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$250,000.00
Surplus fund	50,000.00
Undivided profits	5,967.39
National Bank notes outstanding	45,000.00
Dividends unpaid	438.00
Individual deposits subject to check, for four weeks	174,781.16
Demand certificates of deposit	17,909.79
Due to other National Banks	1.42
Total	\$644,178.36

State of MASSACHUSETTS, County of ESSEX, ss:

I, Moses Foster, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MOSES FOSTER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of May, 1893.

GEORGE W. FOSTER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JOHN H. FLINT, JOHN F. KIMBALL, JOSEPH A. SMART, Directors.

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GEORGE H. COOK, Newburyport, Mass.

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It soon wrought a wonderful change. The 'Grip' had left me in a terrible condition—severe pains in back, hips and back of head. I was so weak I could hardly get up stairs. Two bottles of DANA'S SARSAPARILLA wrought a perfect cure. I would not be without it."

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Cream of all flavors, 50 cents a quart, also Orange, Lemon and Raspberry Sherbert at the same price.

Special Rates to parties buying in large quantities.

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Frozen Pudding, by qt.	.80
Tutti-Fruitti,	.75
Bisque,	.75
Café Pafé	.80
Fruit Creams,	.60
Individual Ices, per doz.	\$1.75

Lunches furnished for small parties and picnics.

South Main Street, Andover,

P. O. BOX 443.

TH NATIONAL STORE.

COMMENCING FRIDAY, MAY 5th,

We will give a discount of 12 per cent on every garment purchased in our store. Our prices being the Lowest already that discount will bring our Jackets, and Capes to such a low price that nobody need to go without a new Spring Garment

Our Prices are from \$1.49 Upwards.

We have just received 25 dozen Wrappers such as we use to sell for \$1 and \$1.25, and having purchased the whole lot there was of that kind we got them at such a price that we can sell them for 79 Cents. They are all made of the best material such as Percale, Sea Island, Cloth, etc. Come in and ask for our 79 cent wrapper.

The National Store,

FORBES' NEW BLOCK,

444 ESSEX STREET, LAWRENCE, MASS.

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MANURES, FERTILIZERS, CHEMICALS, ETC.

We have just received our Spring stock of Fertilizers consisting of the Stockbridge Special Complete Manures for Potatoes, Corn and Grain, Grass Top Dressing, Seeding Down, Vegetables, Etc., besides containing all the elements required by crops for an early, vigorous growth, and in the proper forms and proportions. Contain on the average twice as much plant food as an ordinary fertilizer or phosphate; so that a half-ton of Stockbridge will go as far or farther and cost less than a whole ton of the ordinary kind.

BOWKER'S ODERLESS DRESSING.

This is made to meet the demand for a clean and efficient substitute for stable manure as a surface dressing for Lawns and Gardens.

Bowker's Hill and Drill Phosphate and Pacific Guano.

These are equal to any Phosphates on the market. We have also received our Spring stock of Seeds which have been selected with the greatest care and will be sold at the lowest market prices.

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This Spring far surpasses anything ever gotten up before in beauty, quality, and colors. The old house of

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Is booming in Choice Footwear. Call and get posted on styles, varieties and prices before purchasing. This old house is the surest place to get an honest dollar's worth in Boots and Shoes in the city. Shoes and Boots at all prices, 25c. to \$1.00, and from \$1.00 to \$5.00, \$6.00 or \$7.00.

Custom Boots for defective feet measured and fitted in Cork Sole Boots from 1 to 4 and 5 inches high. Repairing neatly done at short notice at

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More Premium crops were raised in Essex County last season with the aid of Cumberland Superphosphate than were raised with the aid of all other brands of fertilizers combined. If you want to raise a good crop, order Cumberland delivered at your depot.

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A good capable man living in Andover or Ballardvale can find profitable employment for all or a portion of their time by applying to Rooms 2 and 3, Bicknell's Block, 467 Essex St., 8.30 A.M. or at 7.30 P.M. Apply to T. P. CAHILL, Asst. Superintendent.

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A Collie Dog, brown and black marked with white. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges.

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